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## **AMENDMENT**

**IN THE CLAIMS:** 

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1. (Currently Amended) A kit for bonding silicone compositions to a base surface made from polymers, polymers of methacrylates or fillers with said surface being part of a structure which includes an impression tray, dental crown, bridge, temporary crown or temporary bridge, comprising:

- a) at least one partially re-soluble (co-)polymer adapted to form a first layer on said base surface; and
- at least one adhesive for silicone adapted to form a second layer in an overlying relationship to said first layer, wherein the adhesive for silicones is a (co-)polymer or a mixture of (co-)polymers containing at least one SiH, vinyl groups or silanol groups.
- 2. (Original) The kit according to claim 1 further comprising a base body.
- 3. (Original) The kit according to claim 2 further comprising a silicone composition.
- 4. (Original) The kit according to claim 2 wherein the base body comprises polymers or copolymers of methacrylates.
- 5. (Original) The kit according to claim 2 wherein the base body additionally comprises fillers, such as glass powder.

- 6. (Original) The kit according to claim 2 wherein the base body is an impression tray, a dental crown, bridge, temporary crown, or a temporary bridge.

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- 7. (Original) The kit according to claim 1 whrein the partially resoluble (co-)polymers comprise polystyrene, polycarbonate, poly(meth-)acrylate, polyvinyl chloride, polysulphone, polymethylpentene, polystyrene acrylonitrile or mixtures thereof.
- 8. (Original) The kit according to claim 7 wherein the poly(meth-)acrylates comprise polymers or mixed polymerisates of methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, neopentyl or tetrahydrofurfuryl esters of acrylic acids or methacrylic acids.
- 9. (Cancelled).
- 10. (Original) The kit according to claim 1 wherein the partially resoluable (co-) polymers and/or the adhesives for silicones are dissolved or partially dissolved in at least one readily volatile inert solvent.
- 11. (Original) The kit according to claim 10 wherein the solvent is an aliphatic or aromatic, halogenated or non-halogenated hydrocarbon, ether, ketone, ester, or cyclic siloxane.
- 12. (Original) The kit according to claim 3 wherein the silicone composition comprises a silicone impression composition for taking impressions of teeth.

- 13. (Original) The kit according to claim 1 wherein components a) and b) are present in separate containers.
- 14. (Original) The kit according to claim 2 wherein components a), b), and c) are present in separate containers.
- 15. (Original) The kit according to claim 3 wherein components a), b), c), and d) are present in separate containers.
- 16. (Original) A method of manufacturing a molding, comprising the steps of:
- a) applying a solution of at least one partially resoluble (co-)polymer to at least one surface of composite;
- b) drying the partially resoluble (co-)polymer(s);
- c) applying a solution of at least one adhesive for silicones to the layer of the partially resoluble (co-)polymer(s); and
- d) drying the adhesive(s).
- 17. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 16 further comprising applying a silicone composition to the adhesive(s).
- 18. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 16 wherein the partially resoluble (co-)polymer and/or adhesive for silicones are dissolved in at least one solvent.

- 19. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 18 wherein the 2004 JUN -4 PM 12: 22 solvent is a readily volatile inert solvent.
- 20. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 19 wherein the partially resoluble (co-)polymers comprise polystyrene, polycarbonate, poly(meth-)acrylate, polyvinyl chloride, polysulphone, polymethylpentene, polystyrene acrylonitrile or mixtures thereof.
- 21. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 20 wherein the poly(meth-) acrylates comprise polymers or mixed polymerisates of methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, neopentyl or tetrahydrofurfuryl esters of acrylic acids or methacrylic acids.
- 22. (Original) The method of manufacturing a molding according to claim 16 wherein the adhesive for silicones is a (co-)polymer or a mixture of (co-)polymers comprise at least one SiH, vinyl group or silanol group.
- 23. (Previously Presented) The kit according to claim 1, wherein the base surface is used for manufacturing a molding or an impression tray for silicone compositions.
- 24. (Original) A molding produced according to the process of claim 16.
- 25. (Original) A molding produced according to the process of claim 17.